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1 TOWNSEND AND TOWNSEND AND CREW LLP Mark A. Steiner (Cal. Bar No. 88124) 2010 JAN 22 PM 4: 06 2 A. James Isbester (Cal. Bar No. 129820) CLERX U.S. DISTRICT COURT CENTRAL DIST. C. GALIF. LOS ANGFLES Tali L. Alban (Cal. Bar No. 233694) 3 Two Embarcadero Center, 8th Floor San Francisco, California 94111 Telephone: (415) 576-0200 4 Facsimile: (415) 576-0300 5 Attorneys for Plaintiffs Encore Holdings Ltd. 6 and Viva USA Inc. 7 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 9 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 92 DSF (PLAX ENCORE HOLDINGS LTD, a Bahamas limited liability company, and VIVA USA 11 INC., a California corporation, Civil Action No.: 12 Plaintiffs. 13 COMPLAINT FOR PATENT ٧. INFRINGEMENT; CERTIFICATION 14 OF INTERESTED ENTITIES OR INFINITI MEDIA, INC., a California PERSONS; DEMAND FOR JURY 15 corporation. TRIAL 16 Defendant. INJUNCTIVE RELIEF REQUESTED 17 Plaintiffs Encore Holdings Ltd. ("Encore") and Viva USA Inc. ("Viva USA"), for their 18 19 complaint, allege as follows: Encore and Viva USA are both members of the Viva Group of companies. The Viva 1. 20 Group is a recognized world leader in optical media packaging with its headquarters in Hong Kong, 21 and manufacturing facilities in China, Canada and Poland. The Viva Group distributes and sells its 22 products in numerous countries. Among the products that the Viva Group distributes in the United 23 States is the "ECO-Box," a case for optical media discs such as DVDs and CDs having a distinctive 24 25 spoked wheel design incorporated into the disc holding region of the case. Encore holds the intellectual property associated with the ECO-Box. Viva USA is the exclusive authorized agent for 26 the distribution and sale of this product in the United States. The ECO-Box is sold to various 27 customers in this district. 28

2. Infiniti Media, Inc. ("Infiniti") is a California corporation with its principal place of business at 19481 Harborgate Way, Torrance, California, 90501. Infiniti distributes cases for optical media discs such as DVDs and CDs.

JURISDICTION

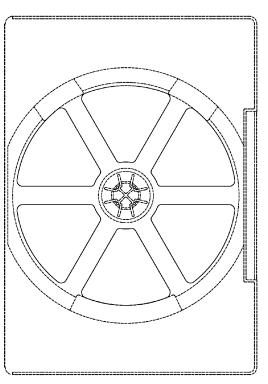
3. This is an action for patent infringement arising under the Patent Laws of the United States, Title 35 of the United States Code. This Court has subject matter jurisdiction over the subject matter of this action under 28 U.S.C. §§ 1331 and 1338(a). The Court has personal jurisdiction over Infiniti because Infiniti is a California corporation and has at all material times been doing business in this District.

VENUE

4. Venue is proper in this District pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1391 and 1400(b) because this is a judicial district where Infiniti does business and has committed acts of patent infringement.

CLAIM FOR RELIEF

[Infringement of United States Design Patent No. D603,202]



- 5. United States Design Patent No. D603,202 (the "'202 Patent"), entitled "Optical Media Disc Case" issued on November 3, 2009 to King Yeung Choi. The '202 Patent discloses and claims a distinctive, spoked wheel design on the back of a case for holding optical media discs such as DVDs and CDs. The Viva ECO-Box is an embodiment of the design covered by this patent. The spoked wheel design, as depicted in Figure 3 of the '202 patent, is reproduced to the left. A copy of the '202 Patent is attached hereto as Exhibit A.
- 6. Encore is the owner by assignment of all right, title and interest in the '202 Patent. Viva USA is and

has been the exclusive authorized distributor of the patented ECO-Box product in the United States.



- 7. During the relevant times, Infiniti has sold and offered to sell optical media disc cases that incorporate a spoked wheel design. Infiniti's sales and offers for sale of these optical media cases infringe the '202 Patent. A photograph of an infringing Infiniti product is reproduced to the left.
- 8. Infiniti has had notice of the '202 Patent and its application to the infringing products since at least November 6, 2009. Infiniti's infringement of the '202 Patent has therefore been willful, deliberate and in conscious disregard of Plaintiffs' patent rights, making this an exceptional case within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. §§ 284 and 285.
- 9. Unless enjoined and restrained by this Court, Infiniti will continue to infringe the '202 Patent, and thereby cause irreparable injury to Plaintiffs for which there is no adequate remedy at law.
- 10. As a result of Infiniti's willful and deliberate infringement of the '202 Patent, Plaintiffs have been damaged in an amount to be determined at trial.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

Plaintiffs prays for judgment against Infiniti and all persons in active concert or participation with Infinti, granting Plaintiffs the following relief:

- a. A preliminary and final injunction prohibiting Infiniti, its officers, directors, agents, and successors and anyone else acting in concert with Infiniti from continued infringement of United States Design Patent No. 603,202;
- b. An award to Plaintiffs of such damages as they shall prove at trial which is adequate to compensate Plaintiffs for Infinti's patent infringement, said damages to be no less than a reasonable royalty;
- c. An award to Plaintiffs of treble damages to be determined, as provided for in 35 U.S.C. § 284, together with prejudgment interest;

1	d. A finding that this case is exceptional, and an award to Plaintiffs of their costs and			
2	reasonable attorneys' fees, as provided by 35 U.S.C. § 285; and			
3	e.	e. Any other and further relief that this Court may deem appropriate and just.		
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5	Dated this 22	^{2nd} day of January, 2010	Respectfully submitted,	
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CERTIFICATION OF INTERESTED ENTITIES OR PERSONS

The undersigned certifies that the following listed persons, associations of persons, firms,
partnerships, corporations (including parent corporations) or other entities (i) have a financial interest

in the subject matter in controversy or in a party to the proceeding, or (ii) have a non-financial interest

in that subject matter or in a party that could be substantially affected by the outcome of this

proceeding:

Viva Holdings, Inc. a BVI Company

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Respectfully submitted,

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JURY DEMAND Plaintiffs demand a jury trial on all issues so triable, pursuant Rule 38 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Dated this 22nd day of January, 2010 Respectfully submitted, TOWNSEND AND TOWNSEND AND CREW LLP By: Attorneys for Plaintiffs Encore Holdings Ltd and 62407707 v1

EXHIBIT A



(12) United States Design Patent Choi

(10) Patent No.: US I

US D603,202 S

(45) Date of Patent:

** Nov. 3, 2009

(54) OPTICAL MEDIA DISC CASE

(75) Inventor: King Yeung Choi, Hong Kong (HK)

(73) Assignee: Encore Holdings Ltd., Nassau (BS)

(**) Term: 14 Years

(21) Appl. No.: 29/327,219

(22) Filed: Oct. 31, 2008

Related U.S. Application Data

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(57) CLAIM

The ornamental design for an optical media disc case, as shown and described.

DESCRIPTION

FIG. 1 is a perspective view in closed configuration of an optical media disc case showing my new design;

FIG. 2 is a top plan view in closed configuration thereof;

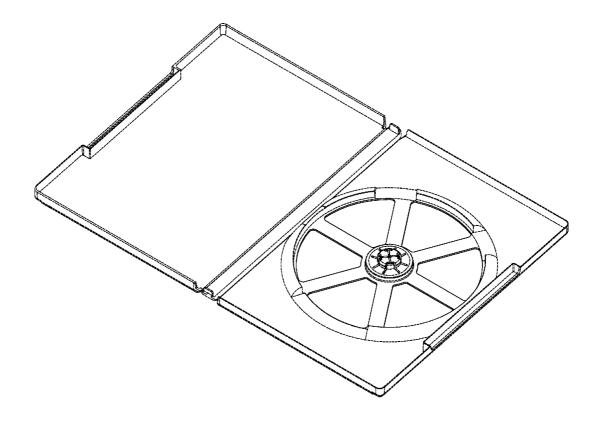
FIG. 3 is a bottom plan in open configuration view thereof;

FIG. 4 is a perspective view in open configuration thereof; and.

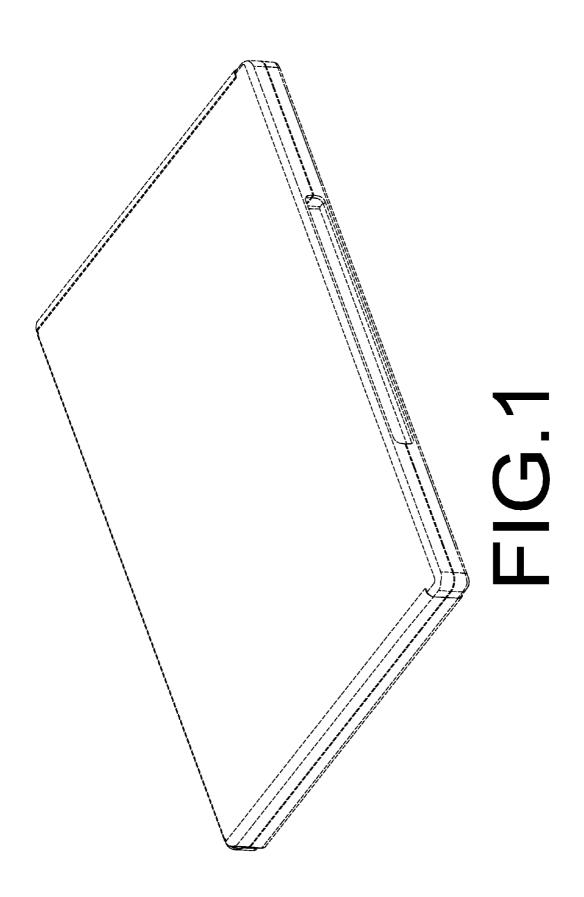
FIG. 5 is a top plan view in open configuration thereof.

The broken line showing of the disc case is included for the purpose of illustrating environment and forms no part of the claimed design.

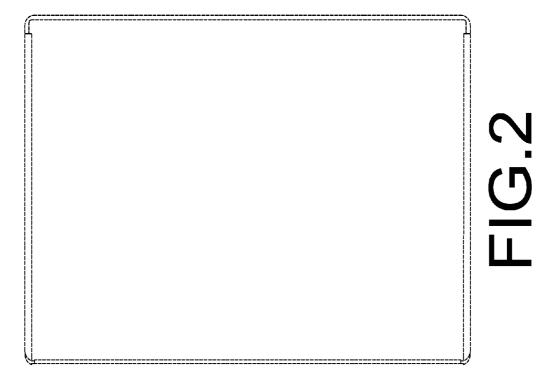
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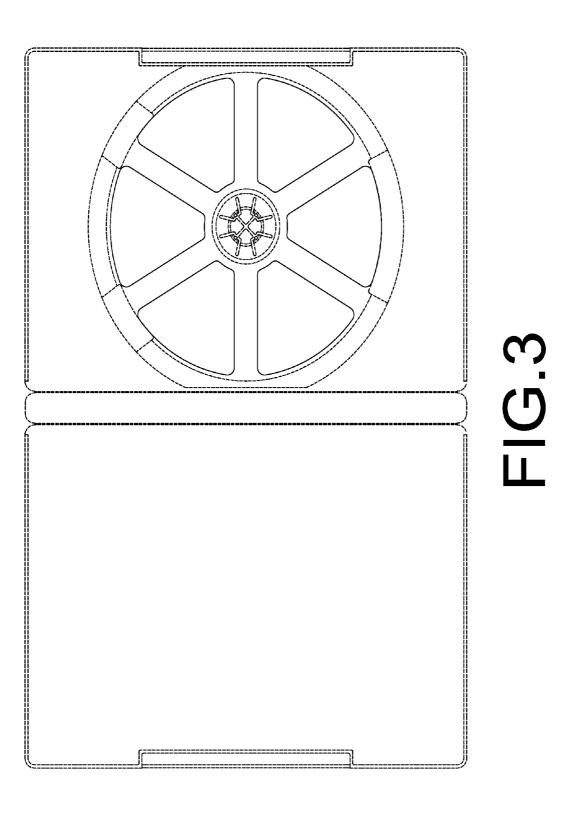
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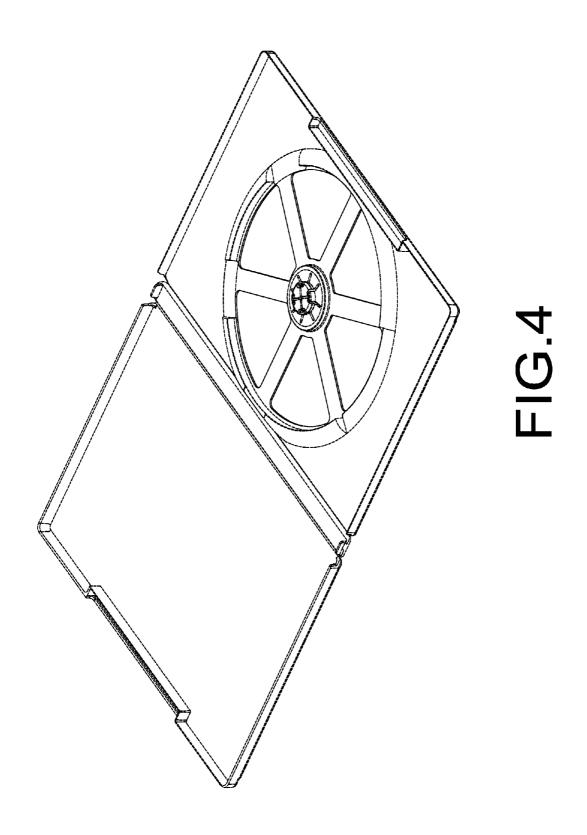
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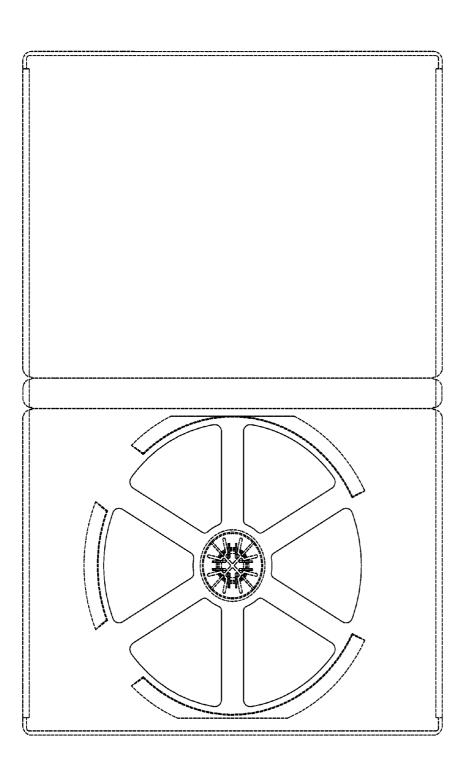


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